

"Work," said Josh Billings, "is what you don't want to do. If you want to do it, it is play."

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## HOBBY HANDS SUSPECT QUEER BRYAN

Commoner Campaigns Thro' Ohio and Finally Reaches West Virginia.

## WARM WELCOME FOR PEOPLE'S CHAMPION

## REPUBLICAN HYPOCRISY EXPOSED AND JUDGE TAFT MADE THE BUTT OF RIDICULE.

Wheeling, W. Va., Sept. 11.—William J. Bryan this afternoon and tonight was West Virginia's guest. A royal welcome was accorded him as his private car "Olivette," containing himself and party and a big reception committee, crossed the Ohio river and entered the city. The river front was a mass of humanity, and as Democracy's leader stepped on West Virginia soil he was cheered to the echo. His car was stopped directly in front of the hotel, but so great was the crowd that even the combined efforts of the police could not prevent him from being forced to struggle his way through.

## Great Audience Present.

Speaking tonight to a multitude of persons, Mr. Bryan pointed out the differences in the two platforms, and made a plea for Democratic support. He made frequent references to Mr. Taft and told his audience that the Republican campaign was conducting his campaign on a platform so obnoxious to him that he was forced to continually patch it up. Much stress was laid on the labor and anti-injunction planks of the Democratic platform.

The visit to Wheeling was the climax of an eventful day in Ohio. From the time the Democratic candidate left Columbus early in the morning until he crossed the Ohio river into West Virginia, the crowds which gathered along the line of travel made insistent demands for his appearance and to "talk to us a little."

## People Believe Him.

At Steubenville a large crowd gathered and Mr. Bryan addressed them. Mr. Bryan put to his audience these questions:

"How many of you believe that the United States senators should be elected by direct vote of the people? How many of you believe that we ought to have a publication of campaign contributions, as is above a reasonable minimum, before election?"

A sea of hands went up. "Now," said Mr. Bryan, "by your vote you have declared that you stand on the Democratic platform, instead of on the Republican platform."

Altogether the reception of the Democratic candidate in Ohio and in this city were among the notable happenings of the campaign.

## Address in Wheeling.

In his address here tonight, Mr. Bryan referred to the fact that his nomination for presidency had a significance that could not be overlooked. "In former campaigns," he said, "I have been sufficient to have eliminated me from politics by my claim to public attention based upon personal merit. But my friends, I have not been vain enough to believe that any large part of the interest felt in me, of the confidence placed in me, of the affection felt toward me, is due to personal qualities. I have believed, I do believe, that the fact that I maintain the place of the policy is due to the strength of the things for which I stand."

The Republicans, he declared, may well ask themselves, "What have we done?" He estimated Democratic policies when those policies were strong enough to give him a third nomination.

## Stirred Up the Opposition.

Referring to the fact that the overshadowing issue of the campaign from the Democratic standpoint was "the people rule," Mr. Bryan said he was sure that his first speech had some effect. "For I heard two distinct echoes, one from Cincinnati, and one from Ulica, N. Y."

Mr. Taft, he said, at the first opportunity, had announced that he people did rule, and Mr. Sherman in his first speech had said that that could not be the issue, because it would be an insult to the people to say that they did not rule.

"Well, my friends," said the Democratic candidate, "I am glad to see you here, and tell you that I did not expect Mr. Taft or Mr. Sherman to plead guilty, for as the Republican party is in power they could not have admitted that the people do not rule without signing their death warrant. I am grateful for the position they have given me for asserting that the people do rule to have implied that the people ought to rule."

He charged that the Republican party deliberately and with malice aforethought had prevented the rule of the people.

## Fall of Mr. Taft.

On the subject of publicity of campaign contributions, Mr. Bryan, speaking of Mr. Taft, said:

"That he read our platform and then he remembered his own platform and tried to jump from his platform to ours, but fell between the two. Why do I say 'fell between the two'? Because his platform said nothing on the subject; our platform demands publicity before election and Mr. Taft took a half-way position and offered to compromise on publicity after election."

He asserted that nine-tenths of the Republicans agreed with the Democrats on that proposition instead of agreeing with their own party, "or even with Mr. Taft."

The Republican convention at Chicago.

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## PARTY LEADERS TAKING FORM

That Feeling of Over-Confidence Seems to Have Deserted Republicans.

## HITCHCOCK HEARS THINGS

TAFT GETTING READY FOR SPEECHMAKING TOURS.

New York, Sept. 11.—Chairman Hitchcock at Republican headquarters here today introduced to visiting newspaper men, J. Medill McCormick of the Chicago Tribune, who gave his views concerning the political situation in the west.

According to Mr. Hitchcock a great deal of work will have to be done "all down the line" in order to make the central and western states safe for Taft. The organization perfected by Mr. Bryan has been underestimated, said Mr. McCormick, who added that all of the Democratic forces are striving harmoniously in Bryan's interest.

Mr. Hitchcock had a long talk with Mr. McCormick today, and as the result of some of the reports made about conditions in Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota and Iowa, he will leave New York Sunday for Chicago, where he will spend a week at western headquarters.

Thomas Farran, chairman of the Republican state committee in Maryland, expressed the opinion today that the electoral vote in his state is safe for Taft.

## TAFT'S ITINERARY.

Vorys Hurrying East to Arrange Details With Committee.

Cincinnati Sept. 11.—Candidate Taft's first speechmaking trip will be through the west. A. I. Vorys left here for New York today to personally represent the candidate before the national committee in arranging this trip, which will take in at least the states of Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa, Illinois and Indiana. Two other trips are being planned, one through the eastern states, and another through a number of the southern states. These, however, will not be worked out until the western journey has been arranged.

## Cause Vorys to Hurry.

Judge Taft and National Chairman Hitchcock had an extended conference today over the long-distance telephone, the result of which was the hurried departure of Mr. Vorys for New York.

"Mr. Vorys, having been with me for some time, has my ideas concerning this trip," Judge Taft explained. "And it was regarded as more satisfactory that he should go to New York and take up the details of the trip with the committee. He will bring back with him, probably Sunday, the result of the committee's action."

## Not Coming to Coast.

It was said that Mr. Vorys took with him many specific details from the candidate. Mr. Taft gave it as his opinion that the trip would be made as far west as the coast, although he was not certain about it. Mr. Vorys will also confer, while in New York, with John Hays Hammond regarding the work of the national league of Republican clubs of which Mr. Hammond is president.

Secretary Straus of the department of commerce and labor and T. V. Powderly of the immigration service will be here.

The "underground" work of the campaign, such as communication with various party organizations in Ohio who wish to come to Cincinnati, suggestions from the national committee, which is arranged by the work of the national league of Republican clubs and friends constituted the program of the Republican candidate today.

## SOLDIER IS BEATEN.

Corporal Brady Suffers Severe Injuries in Saloon Fight.

Corporal F. E. Brady, a member of company M, Fifteenth United States Infantry, was beaten by W. A. Edwards and C. S. House in the Bryon saloon on State street Friday evening, and severely injured. Brady's nose was broken, his face cut and several teeth knocked out. The fight started on Commercial street, between some messenger boys and the soldier. Two officers, Mr. Edwards and Mr. House, were later arrested on Commercial street by Patrolman Harris.

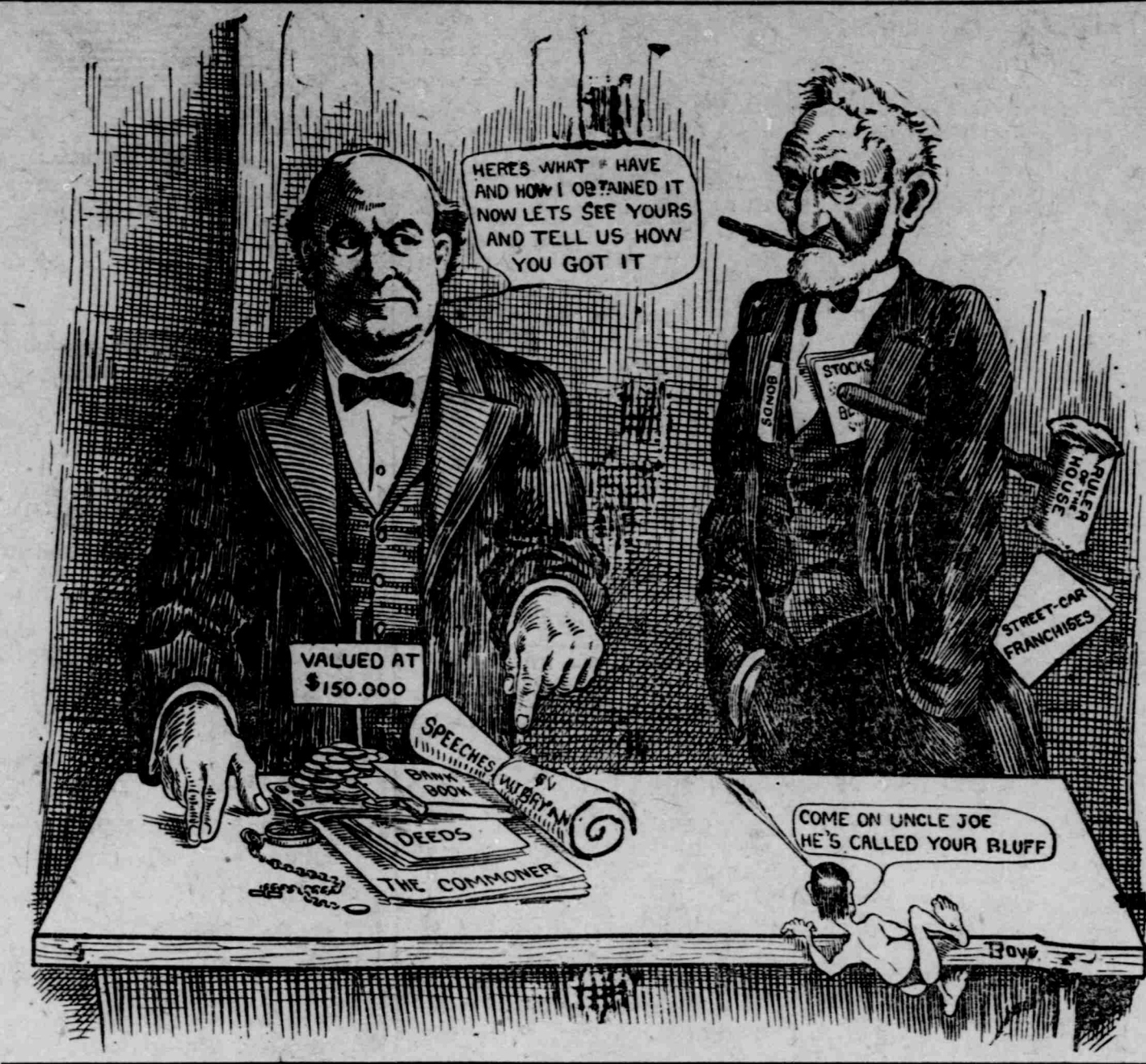
## WOMAN USES KNIFE.

Jealous of Negro Consort, She Cuts and Slashes.

Camille Williams, living at the Brunswick hotel at 1521 South Main street, attacked her consort, Cass Whitman, a negro, with a knife Friday evening, stabbing him in the left shoulder. Lillian O'Neill, another white girl, living in the same house, was also stabbed several times. The Williams woman believed that Whitman was showing too much affection for the O'Neill girl. She was locked up and charged with assault with a deadly weapon. The case caused much excitement for a few moments on Main street.

## GRAVES IS NOTIFIED.

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 11.—Two thousand persons listened to the formal notification of John Temple Graves as nominee of the Independence party for vice president of the United States at the Casino theatre tonight. Presidential Nominee Hise, William R. Hearst and a score of other prominent men in the party were on the platform. Mr. Graves was given an ovation. Cheer after cheer and handclapping gave Mr. Hearst, Mr. Hise and Mr. Graves a welcome.



## SLAYER FROM BOYHOOD DAYS DEWASTATED BY STREET RIOTS

Many Lives Lost When Town of Grand Turk, B. W. I., Was Wiped Out.

Los Angeles, Sept. 11.—Carl Southerland, the youthful self-slain murderer of Captain of Police Walter H. Auble, left letters which, if the contents be true, prove him to have been a most remarkable criminal. One of these letters, containing many thousand words, was at first believed to be fiction, but several features of the confession have since been verified.

In this document Southerland said he was born at Lamar, Mo., and early became a member of a gang which terrorized that locality. He first aided two criminals who were wanted for robbery, and later helped hold up a Choctaw train near Memphis. He was finally arrested at Okmulgee, in the Creek nation, and taken to Lamar by Sheriff Harlow, where he was sentenced to the reform school for seventeen months at Boonville, Mo. Several telegrams received here from Missouri confirm these details.

## Deserter From the Army.

Southerland's letter says he joined the army and was stationed at Monterey, Cal. After working as a waiter in the California club at Los Angeles he held up a train at Mission Junction and another at North Yakima, Wash. Afterward he held up a Choctaw train near Memphis. He was finally arrested at Okmulgee, in the Creek nation, and taken to Lamar by Sheriff Harlow, where he was sentenced to the reform school for seventeen months at Boonville, Mo. Several telegrams received here from Missouri confirm these details.

## AGAIN BEATS HIS RECORD

Orville Wright Remains Up in the Air 1 Hour, 10 Minutes and 23 Seconds in Aeroplane.

Washington, Sept. 11.—In a flight lasting one hour, ten minutes and twenty-three seconds, Orville Wright today surpassed all his previous exploits for a time and distance flight for a heavier-than-air machine. Two flights were made at Fort Myer, Va., today, the first being of ten minutes and fifty seconds' duration, for the purpose of showing at what rate of speed he has been traveling during the flights of the past three days. Today's test demonstrated, according to the aviator's calculations, that the speed of the aeroplane during the record-breaking flights of Wednesday and Thursday was 29.5 miles an hour.

## HARVEST OF DEATH.

Fifty-five Men Killed While Building New York Bridge.

New York, Sept. 11.—Fifty-five men have been killed in the building of the new Blackwell's island bridge over the East river, according to the report of a committee of the Central Federation Union appointed to ascertain the fatalities that work. The committee also found that four workmen have suffered death in the Chelsea dock improvements. The union men investigated the fatalities the subject said that city inspectors tried to conceal the loss of life, which the union men attribute to the employment of non-union men inexperienced in work at lofty heights and to the absence of proper precautions. The investigators declared that no life has been lost in building the new Manhattan bridge, where union labor is employed.

## DRYAN AND TAFT UNDER ONE POOF

Unusual Incident to Occur at Banquet in Chicago on October 7.

## POLITICS TO BE TABOOED

REMARKS EXPECTED TO BE CONFINED TO DEEP WATERWAYS.

Chicago, Sept. 11.—William H. Taft and William J. Bryan, rival candidates for the presidency of the United States, will meet at Chicago Oct. 7, at a banquet given by the Chicago Association of Commerce, according to an announcement made here today by W. D. Moody, business agent of the association. The speeches will be non-political.

In addition to Mr. Bryan and Mr. Taft, it is expected that the chief guests will be the deep waterways commission, which will begin a three days' session here on Oct. 5, called on the Republican candidate.

## Both Have Accepted.

Mr. Taft's acceptance was obtained at Cincinnati recently when a committee of prominent members of the Association of Commerce, accompanied by a committee of the deep waterways commission, which will begin a three days' session here on Oct. 5, called on the Republican candidate.

Mr. Bryan agreed to be present during a long-distance telephone conversation which he held last night with Norman E. Mack, chairman of the Democratic national chairman. Mr. Bryan was called from his bed aboard his train at 1 a. m., at Terrell, La., and the matter of the invitation discussed. The Democratic leader approved and Mr. Moody was today notified of the fact.

## An Unusual Incident.

The coming together of the two men, looked largest in the public eye was made possible by the deep waterways convention, at which from 3,000 to 5,000 delegates are expected to be present. At this movement, as well as the Chicago Association of Commerce, is non-partisan, it was felt that the occasion was an excellent one for the meeting of the two candidates. In extending both invitations the non-political motive of the banquet was emphasized, and it is believed that both Mr. Taft and Mr. Bryan will confine their remarks to waterways and possibly business matters. It is hoped to secure the attendance of J. P. Morgan, and a committee of the local organization left here today for New York to call on the final candidates.

Mr. Moody declared this afternoon that he had searched the records in vain for any instance in which the meeting of two of the leading presidential candidates during a campaign.

## NEW YORK ITINERARY.

Nebraska Will Address Democratic Convention at Rochester.

New York, Sept. 11.—The itinerary of William J. Bryan's trip from this city to Rochester, where the Democratic state convention will be held next week, was given today by Mr. Bryan's secretary, Mr. J. P. Morgan. Mr. Bryan will leave on the morning of Sept. 12, arriving at Rochester on the evening of Sept. 12. Wherever stops permit, Mr. Bryan will speak from his private car. After his arrival at Rochester, he will be met by the State Chairman William J. Connors left today for Rochester, where he will stay until after the Democratic convention.

## BRYAN IN OHIO.

Shouts of Applause From Workingmen in Taft's Home State.

Denison, O., Sept. 11.—Speeding toward Wheeling, W. Va., where tonight he is scheduled to make a formal address, William J. Bryan, the Democratic candidate for president, today conducted his campaign in the very camp of the enemy and delivered numerous speeches in the native state of Mr. Taft, his chief opponent.

He pointed out to his several audiences that the indications were all favorable to Democratic success and that the party would safely be entrusted with the reins of government.

## Laboring Men Approve.

Addressing a large and enthusiastic assemblage of workmen employed in the shops at this place, Mr. Bryan declared that the platform of the Democratic party with respect to the labor question were assuming more and more prominence in the campaign, and especially since Speaker Cannon has undertaken to defend the position of the Republican party. He then discussed the plank of the Democratic platform and indicated those which in his opinion will be most beneficial to the workers.

The Democratic party takes the side of the laboring man," he declared amidst shouts of approval. "The Republican party takes the opposite side."

## Weakness of Taft's Case.

Taking up the tariff, Mr. Bryan asserted that the Republicans were beginning to find that they are not prepared to meet the arguments presented by the Democrats because they are beginning to threaten. They are beginning to present scares, and Mr. Taft admits the weakness of his case when, instead of trying to show that the Republican position on the tariff question is right and the Republican position on the tariff question is right, he warns the country that if it does not

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## SHORT REBUDDIES JUSTICE WORDS

Pastor Denies Reports Quoting Him as Defaming Utah and the Mormon People.

## SENDS WORD TO HIS WIFE

CINCINNATI NEWSPAPER CONFIRMS STATEMENT.

Mrs. Francis B. Short, wife of Rev. F. B. Short, pastor of the First Methodist church, yesterday received word from her husband stating that the reports of his sermon delivered in Cincinnati on Sept. 6 were erroneous and exaggerated.

Persons in Salt Lake who have heard Mr. Short use extreme language in the pulpit were more ready to believe he made the statements attributed to him than those who had been and the minister mentioned been any other in the city. The Herald wired its Cincinnati correspondent with reference to the accuracy of the report sent, and this reply was received: "Reporter who covers sermons insists it is right."

Mr. Short states in his letter that the report that he compared Salt Lake City with Sodom and Gomorrah is absolutely untrue and that he made not a single mention of members of the Mormon church which was not couched in complimentary rather than in derogatory language. He states that he took particular pains to refrain from any personal recriminations against any one in Utah. Mr. Short forwarded to his wife a copy of the Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune of Sept. 7, which, he says, gives an accurate report of his address.

The members of Mr. Short's congregation unite in stating that they are confident their pastor did not make the statements attributed to him in the special dispatches to Salt Lake papers.

The report of the Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune follows:

"Predicting better days for his and all other Christian churches in Utah, he declared his belief of great possibilities of that commonwealth. The Rev. Francis Burgette Short, D.D., of the First Methodist church of Salt Lake City, Utah, yesterday morning preached at the Walnut Hills M. E. church a strong sermon on the Mormon problem."

Dr. Short also spoke at the St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal church last night on the same subject.

"Dr. Short is in Cincinnati seeking assistance for his church in paying off an indebtedness of \$20,000. He will remain in this city for several days, after which he will visit several other cities. He does not expect to return to the west for several weeks."

## "Smoot's Recognition Denied."

"In his sermon Dr. Short did not go into details concerning the practices and ceremonies of this sect rival the heathenism across the seas."

Dr. Short believed that the mass of the Mormon people at heart are as much opposed to polygamy as are those of other religious beliefs. He stated that this is true in the cases of the younger generation, he said. He declared that it is only the older members of the church who uphold polygamy.

"The western pastor severely censured what he termed the recognition of the Mormon church by the United States senate when Reed Smoot of Utah was permitted to take a seat in that body. His condemnation of this act was very strong."

## "Conditions Are Deplored."

"Although Dr. Short severely criticized and condemned the teachings and offices of the Mormon religion, he declared that among the better classes of its members no better people are to be found."

He deplored the conditions in this state, which, he declared, permit more than 200 towns of from 100 to 1,000 population, to exist without churches of his denomination.

"As an example of good qualities, which, he said, are to be found among nearly all members of the Mormon church, Dr. Short said:

"Even Joseph F. Smith, when everybody knows of his four wives and forty-three children, has been prominent in liquor fights in Utah and has urged his people to do everything in their power to help close every saloon in the state."

## "Praise for Prominent Mormons."

"In my work as secretary of the executive committee of the Anti-Saloon league, I have been associated with as president of this body the Honorable William H. Taft, and outside of his religious beliefs, I have never met a better man."

"To become familiar with Mormonism and to appreciate the good qualities of the members of the Mormon church, is necessary to live among and come in daily contact with them."

Edwin P. Kimball, organizer of the Methodist church in Salt Lake, and one of the members of the music committee of the Methodist church, before the letter of resignation had been received, declared that among the better classes of its members no better people are to be found. He had been determined whether the reports of Mr. Short's sermon were correct. The letter of resignation was therefore returned to Mr. Kimball unopened.

## CAVE WORTHLESS CHECK.

Boston, Sept. 11.—A theft of negotiable bonds to the face value of \$30,000 became known today, when A. E. Turner & Co., brokers, gave out a list of the missing securities. The bonds were obtained by one person, who, representing himself as a prospective purchaser, presented in payment for the bonds a certified check, which is alleged to be worthless.

## WHOLE COUNTRY IN FLAMES

Duluth, Minn., Sept. 11.—Unless a heavy rain falls within the next forty-eight hours the total destruction of every town on the north shore of Lake Superior in Cook county is almost certain.

No rain has fallen in this district since July 10, and everything in the woods is as dry as parched corn. This evening a strong wind from the west, with a heavy wind behind them, are eating their way toward the settlements.

Wild with fear, the inhabitants are gathered along the shore prepared to take to the lake in small boats should the worst come. Within a few miles of the town of Grand Marais there is in flames a tract of spruce and brush over three miles in length. A strong land breeze from the northwest is at present shooting the fire along the outskirts of the town, giving the village a fearful life.

Conditions at Pigeon River Indian reservation, Big Bay, Chicago Bay, Cascade, Cotton and Nutsen are similar to those existing at Grand Marais.

St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 11.—Governor Johnson tonight received a message from Mayor R. D. Haven of Duluth to the effect that Beaver Bay is in imminent danger of being destroyed by fire and asking for help to be sent to the settlement at once.

Governor Johnson sent a message to the captain of the steamer America at Port Arthur asking him to go at once to the threatened town.

## GOOD SUNDAY READING

The resorts are closed for the season and you will want something interesting to read tomorrow. If you don't get something worth while, it'll be a long Sunday. The Herald will fill the bill. Tomorrow's Sunday edition will contain plenty of excellent reading and many fine pictures. Here is a partial table of contents:

"A Delegation from 'de Ate,'" a short story by Porter Emerson Brown.

"The Satsuma Bracelet," one of the Master Mind detective stories, by Frank Lovell Nelson.

"When Swiftly Was Going Some," one of the Shorty McCabe series, by Sewell Ford.

"The King of Diamonds," Louis Tracy's wonderful romance.

Newest Notes of Science.

Fashions and Fads.

Franklin Fyles' Dramatic Gossip, and

ALL THE NEWS FROM EVERYWHERE.

## DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES.

Seattle, Sept. 11.—Returns on the Democratic primary vote throughout the state on Sept. 8 are meager, but based on figures received up to this evening, from the various counties, the Democratic nominations will be as follows:

United States senator, G. F. Coterill; governor, John Pattison; lieutenant governor, A. C. Edwards; congressman, First district, C. H. Miller of Seattle; Second district, Browder Brown, Tacoma; Third district, William Goodyear, Puyallup.